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GREENSBORO, N. C., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1897.

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Half Price.

To induce you to buy

Fireworks

for the New Year, I am offering what I have left at half price.

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In the Most Pleasing

And Dainty Novelties to Gladden the
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Stop That Cough.

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To Our Friends:

Hoping that each one of you have spent a jolly Christmas and wishing you a happy New Year and abundant prosperity throughout 1898. Call on us at the old stand.

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Reliable Grocers.

South Elm St. Phone No. 2.

When Out for Your
Christmas Shopping
call and examine our

Holiday Goods

We may aid you in
settling the Gift
Question.

Gaston W. Ward

Druggist.

HIGH POINT HAS A SHOOTING

John Duckworth Tries to Kill
Joe Jackson

THE RESULT OF AN OLD GRUDGE

Used a Knife and a Pistol on His Victim—A Barn Burns—Cause of the
Fire Unknown—Personals.

TELEGRAM BUREAU.
HIGH POINT, N. C., Dec. 31, '97.

About five-thirty o'clock yesterday afternoon, in front of the old school house here, John Duckworth made a most vicious attempt upon the life of Joe Jackson.

Duckworth is a bad character, having previously served two years on the chain gang for cutting Charley Haney. He charged Jackson with having informed on him in that case. In consequence he threatened Jackson's life and the latter had been avoiding him.

Duckworth has only been off the road about two months, during which time he has been working at the Pomona nurseries. He came here Christmas.

The only witnesses of the affair were John Carroll and George Brown. Carroll says that he saw Jackson and Duckworth talking, and suspecting there would be trouble, turned his back so as not to see the fight. He heard Jackson say he did not want to have any fuss, and beg Duckworth not to cut him. He heard a shot and saw Jackson fall.

Brown says he saw Duckworth cut Jackson and as the latter walked off Duckworth drew a revolver and shot him. After the shooting Duckworth said: "Now you see what people get by messing with me."

After the shooting Jackson lay where he fell for some time and was finally assisted to his home by Will Gladstone. Jackson had his arms full of wood when attacked.

Jackson was cut above the left temple, the gash being an ugly one, and shot in the back, just over the lower lobe of the left lung, with a 38-calibre revolver, the ball striking a rib and glancing off into the body, and Dr. Burton, who dressed the wounds, was not able to find it.

Jackson is doing well this morning and the indications are that he will recover.

BARN BURNED.

About 8 o'clock yesterday evening the barn of Shubal Jackson was destroyed by fire, entailing a small loss. The origin of the fire is unknown. The fire caused more excitement than the fight.

PERSONALS.

Rev. J. O. Alderman, of Washington, N. C., arrived in the city last night and will preach in the Salem Street Baptist church Sunday morning and night. Mr. Alderman is a strong preacher.

Mrs. J. J. Farriss left this morning for a visit to Mrs. Clarence Watkins, at Newberne.

Mr. Fred A. Fetter, of Littleton, was shaking hands with his many friends here this morning.

Mrs. Joice and her daughter, Miss Carrie, of Detroit, Mich., arrived in the city this morning to visit their relatives, Mrs. M. A. Tate's family.

The Winston Murder.

The preliminary trial of J. W. Harrison for the murder of Paul Stockton is still in progress in Winston, before Justices Lehman, Douthitt and Bessent. It is thought two or three days more will be consumed in the hearing of testimony.

The evidence so far as we have heard from it is hardly sufficient to base an opinion upon as to the result. It will be a long and tedious trial.

SOLDIERS OF FRANCE

Seize a Town on the Banks of the
White Nile.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Paris, Dec. 31.—A dispatch from Cairo says the French expedition has occupied the town of Tishoda, on the west bank of the White Nile. It is believed the expedition is rapidly descending the main stream of the Nile.

IT WAS A GAY TIME.

And Came Near Being a Hot Time
Last Night.

Yesterday was fighting day, but the fights didn't amount to much. It seemed to be in the very air that there must be a fight.

The first turbulent scene was somewhere about the Southern depot, where President Spencer's clerk and one of the Southern's train dispatchers had a little bout in which no one was knocked out.

Then we learn that two very well known gentlemen had a little misunderstanding in the Benbow bar, in which a gentleman with beard demanded and failed to receive an apology from the younger and the smooth faced gentleman. No casualties reported.

Then a little later, we are told that a prominent young citizen (our informant refused to tell the name) was gloriously and hilariously drunk in a down town saloon, and was forcibly, bodily, and rather rudely ejected from the place by the accommodating bar-keeper.

And we are willing to let it go at that.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

IN A BLAZE OF GLORY

Greater New York Will Celebrate
Its Beginning.

THE GOVERNMENT MUST PAY

The Bonds of the Central Pacific Railway to the Tune of Ten
Million Dollars.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Dec. 31.—The Chicago delegates selected by Mayor Harrison to represent Chicago at the Greater New York festivities arrived this morning. They were welcomed by the committee and escorted to the Everett House, adjacent to the point at which the head of the great carnival procession will start.

Mayor Phelan, of San Francisco, will touch the button which will send the flag of the new city to the masthead of the seat of city government. The city will be in a blaze of glory tonight, welcoming the new year. Tonight will be the first celebration witnessed by the metropolis.

BEGINS TO LOOK LIKE IT.

The Signs are Pointing to a New
Depot for Greensboro.

A good deal has been said recently about deals in regard to property for the Southern Railway. It has been mere talk, to be sure, but it will be seen that there has been some pretty good guess work done.

The Telegram has it today from a reliable source that application has been made for an option on Leak Bros. & Houston's factory, J. L. King & Co's factory and the vacant ground between these factories. This is the initial step and the first that has been taken.

There is no use to go off into "spasms of ecstasies," over the prospects, but it will do to rejoice over your quiet moments. Wait, and watch The Telegram's prediction, made a few weeks ago.

Eckels Says Good-bye.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Comptroller of the Currency James H. Eckels, whose resignation will take effect tomorrow called upon the President this afternoon, to pay his respects and say good-bye. Mr. Eckels will leave for Chicago tomorrow morning. His successor, Mr. Charles G. Dawes, will qualify as Comptroller tomorrow and take charge of the office next Monday.

CAD CRAZED BY CIGARETTES

Last Thing at Night and the First
Thing in the Morning.

SANITY RIGHTLY QUESTIONED.

Twelve Business Houses Burned This
Morning; Loss, Seventy-Five
Thousand Dollars.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Dec. 31.—John Foy, a youth, was brought before the police court this morning to have his sanity investigated. He has been smoking from a hundred to a hundred and fifty cigarettes a day. He has repeatedly threatened his mother and sisters. He smoked the last thing at night and the first thing in the morning and when awake during the night. When without cigarettes he would commit any crime in order to procure them.

BUSINESS HOUSES BURNED.

Lebanon, Tenn., Dec. 31.—Twelve business houses were burned here this morning. A gale was raging at the time and the fire could not be controlled. The loss is about seventy-five thousand dollars.

THE FESTIVE CAKE-WALK

And Who Took the Cake at the Carnival Last Night.

The Academy of Music was filled with people last night who went to see the cake walkers disport themselves and were rewarded with a most amusing spectacle. There were a dozen or more participants, the costumes were fetching in the extreme and while the orchestra discoursed a lively air they showed the audience what the human biped can do in the way of being graceful and being awkward. The swell, the Rastus Johnsing coon, the old time belle, the warm fat man, the football rusher and other amusing characters made up the tout ensemble, the gay, giddy and sportive throng.

The judges, C. G. Wright, Mrs. Cator and W. J. Blackburn, awarded the prize, a big luscious cake, to Prof. Brown and Miss Lillian Staples as the most graceful walkers, and the booby, a big luscious plate with a very small piece of cake, to John Michaux and Miss Small. Mr. Ragan, in a speech punctuated with applause, delivered the prizes. The music was even better than on the previous night. Prof. Brockmann is to be most warmly congratulated on the showing it has made under so many difficulties and with such a short time for practice.

The net proceeds of the carnival will amount to about fifty dollars which sum will be applied on the debt incurred in purchasing instruments.

Sea Dogs of Britain.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Shanghai Dec. 31.—The Shanghai Mercury says the British Squadron of warships is anchored off Chamulpo, Corea.

Pudd'nhead Wilson.

"Pudd'nhead Wilson," which proved a success in the Metropolitan cities North last season, comes to us next Thursday as a starter on its initial tour through the South. It will be presented by that excellent character actor, Theodore Hamilton, and a thoroughly competent company and will be staged with the same attention to detail that made its production at the Herald Square Theatre, in New York so noteworthy. The story, as all those who have read Twain's book know, is very entertaining, and the living pictures of that little corner of the South, throw new light upon a people who have the 'r being in Mayo's arrangement of Twain's odd conceit.

"Pudd'nhead Wilson" is just the sort of a play to catch the fancy of the regular theatre goers for it is far enough away from the conventional to be novel, and it is of the kind, too, to attract the occasional seat buyer for its suggestion of fibre makes him feel that the stage is not going to the dogs after all.

But as the players make this play it is well that we should speak of the men who dominate the title role—Theodore Hamilton. This artist, the boyhood friend of Edwin Booth, the playmate of John Sleeper Clarke, Maggie Mitchell and John E. Owens, the comrade in arms of many of the world's bravest soldiers—Gen. Longstreet, Albert Sydney Johnson, Fitzhugh Lee, and others equally great, delineates Mark Twain's hero as only a true Southerner can, giving to that character all those deft touches that makes its impersonation so positively effective.

STEEL RAILS FOR INDIA.

American Products Going to a British Possession.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Dec. 31.—The steamship Ichmona arrived here today from Baltimore with a large consignment of steel rails from the Maryland Steel Company for Calcutta. This is the second lot of American steel rails for India.

Havelock Allan's Body.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Calcutta, Dec. 31.—The body of Gen. Havelock Allan whose horse was discovered shot and stripped of its equipment near Alimusjed has been found and conveyed to Peshawara.

From Nicaragua.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New York, Dec. 31.—Lewis Baker, former United States minister to Nicaragua, arrived here today on board the steamer Allianca from Colon.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. E. Holton.



THE COLORED FAIR

Opened This Afternoon in the Banner
Warehouse.

The Guilford County Colored Fair was opened this afternoon in the Banner Warehouse, with music by the band and a most excellent address by Dr. Bullock, for the colored people, and an interesting address by Hon. A. M. Seales, on behalf of the white people.

The fair is a credit to the colored race. It is not on an elaborate scale, but is a long step in the right direction. One thing we were forcibly impressed with and that is the small attendance of colored people at the opening ceremonies. They should take a deeper interest in the handwork of their race. Those who have worked for this fair should be encouraged by the presence during the fair of all who are striving for the advancement of the race.

Let the warehouse be crowded with visitors tomorrow, and the projectors encouraged to make the fair association a permanent organization.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

The weather was cloudy this morning and a cold, drizzling rain fell, though the indications are that it will clear. The city hall and many parts of the city are appropriately decorated.

GOVERNMENT MUST PAY.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—The government will be called upon tomorrow to pay ten million dollars of second mortgage bonds. In all thirty-five million dollars in bonds mature at this time, but all except ten million are first mortgage bonds on which the holders have already extended the time six months.

As John R. Sees It.

The Raleigh correspondent writes the Charlotte Observer:

It is one of the rumors of the town that John R. Smith's incoming as commissioner of agriculture and the desire of James H. Young, colored, to seek other fields, or in other words to get out of the Agricultural Department into the revenue service, have a connection and that the secret is that John R. is sufficiently amused with the colored man and brother and does not desire a negro clerk.



NEW YEAR ADVICE

may be wasted, as it is only the wise that profit by other people's experience, but we will give it for what it is worth. You will get more real satisfaction, comfort and wear out of one suit of custom tailor-made clothing than you will out of twenty ready-made suits. Why not? What is a tailor for? To fit every curve, remedy every defect of figure, have your collar lay just so, and give you the style of a gentleman. We do it every time.

B. L. RUBEN, Merchant Tailor,
116 South Elm Street—Benbow Building.

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Bad Colds Are in The Air.

We warn you—you neglect them not. If you feel one catching you, Come for our

ONE NIGHT COLD CURE, 15c.

—OR BOX—

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE 25c.

If it has you already and has reached your lungs use "Yellow Pine," the certain Cough Cure and Expectorant.

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Will Be Absent



Christmas Week.

I shall be out of the city from December 25th to January 3rd.

I will be in my office up to the night of the 24th of December, and will open it again Monday morning, January 3rd.

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The Eye Specialist,

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New Goods. Old Prices.

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Holiday Goods.

I have just opened a pretty line of holiday goods—please call.

Nothing better for chapped hands than Marshmallow Lotion.

Holton's Drug Store.

McAdoo House Building.

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You can get the telegraphic news twelve hours earlier in THE TELEGRAM than in any paper that gets into Greensboro, and for four dollars a year less.

THE PASSING OF THE OLD.

Tomorrow is the day of new resolutions, of good resolutions, for no man ever deliberately plans ill on New Year's day. The hopes and ideals of every man set for him the limit of possible good. He can not go beyond. We wish to all, therefore, the realization of tomorrow's resolutions—and that the resolutions may be eminently worthy. Let the evil of 1897 be interred with its bones while the good is carried forward into a brighter to be.

THE OTHER SIDE.

We yesterday quoted with approval a paragraph from the Charlotte Observer on the Stanly bond case. We also made comment upon the same unfavorable to the people of that county. Our attention has since been called to certain allegations tending to exonerate the county from what would otherwise appear as culpable dealing and public bad faith. In pursuance of its custom of printing both sides The Telegram submits those allegations to its readers.

It is alleged that attorneys of the Yadkin Railway Co., who advocated issuance of bonds, assured the voters of Stanly county that the company was solvent; the county was promised stock to the amount of \$100,000, upon which the voters were assured dividends would be declared annually for at least 6 per cent., the railroad lecturers thereby inducing voters to issue bonds under the assurance that no taxes would have to be levied to meet interest on bonded indebtedness as interest would be met by dividends on stock.

The bonds were issued in series, and immediately after the last series of bonds were issued, a mortgage was recorded in Stanly county to the amount of \$15,000 per mile on this road. This mortgage had been given at the time the people were being urged to vote the bonds, but it was secretly held until the last bond was in the hands of the railroad and then recorded.

It was also alleged that the railroad was built for \$100,000, the railroad thereby making \$75,000, as Rowan county had issued \$75,000.

There was, also, a few months thereafter a second mortgage for a large amount recorded against this road in Stanly.

So immediately upon the discovery of the recordation of mortgages, the taxpayers began to complain of the fraud practiced on them, in the representation of solvency and dividend-paying stocks. The road has never paid the county one cent of dividends and the county has been taxed yearly to meet interest on bonds.

Such are the equitable grounds upon which the county claims justification for taking advantage of a legal technicality to escape the obligation. It alleges Ponie faith on the part of the railroad company; that it did not carry out its part of the agreement.

Upon whomsoever the blame is to be fixed the fact remains that innocent people have lost money by the transaction and that it means a blow to the credit of the State and that her development will be retarded thereby.

Somebody is at fault. The facts should be mercilessly sifted that the innocent may stand justified.

Baltimore has a "Don't Worry Circle." Whether Mr. Gorman is a member is not stated.

The plan of Oklahomans to lynch the officers of a bank that failed shows a precocious development of financiering talent in that youthful territory.

President E. Benjamin Andrew's advocacy of free lunch in schools indicates a desire to gain with the coming generation the popularity his manliness lost him in this.

An esteemed contemporary talks for a 'column about "Our Interests in China." Up to the present our main interests there are a few shelf-worn missionaries and consuls out at the elbow.

Tennessee must have a brainy man in the senate.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Surely the Commercial-Appeal knows that nobody but a citizen of a state can represent it in the senate.

Governor Tyler's Inauguration.

Richmond, Dec. 30.—Governor-elect J. Hoge Tyler, with his family, arrived in the city tonight, from his home in Radford. The inauguration will take place in the hall of the house of delegates Saturday at noon and will be very simple.

Will Carry Cuban Supplies Free.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Assistant Secretary Day has just received a response from the superintendent of the Ward Line steamers in New York, in answer to his inquiry as to whether he could announce that his line would convey supplies to Cuba for the relief of the suffering people free of cost. The prompt answer was: "Will be pleased to accept supplies for Cuban sufferers free of cost. Presume they will be consigned to General Lee."

THE SNUB TO MISS CRANE.

Chapones Disclaims Responsibility for Her Expulsion.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 30.—The chapone who requested the withdrawal of Miss Crane, the actress, from the hop in Charleston last week is said to have been Mrs. Lewis, formerly Miss Rhett. The other chapones, dreading notoriety, came out in crowds disclaiming responsibility for the action and heartily condemning it.

The press of the whole State is denouncing the action. Capt. Hamlet directed Cadet Peterson, who escorted Miss Crane to the ball, to retire to his ship under the misapprehension that Mrs. Lewis spoke for the body of chapones.

A PISTOL WITH A HISTORY.

Most of Its Late Owners Died with Their Boots On.

Perry, Oklahoma, Dec. 30.—When Gen. John Morgan, the famous Confederate raider, was captured in Ohio he was taken before Judge Shaleford, now of Muskogee, I. T., who was then a Colonel in the Union Army. During Morgan's examination he handed his pistol to a man named Thompson, who removed to Clay county, Mo., after the war, taking the pistol with him. It was always suspected that Thompson knew more about the James gang than he ever told, and in one of the bold raids of the brothers this same pistol played an important part in the hold-up in the hands of Bob Ford, who afterward killed Jesse James in St. Joseph. A few weeks before the killing Ford gave the pistol to a man named Didot, a Frenchman, who moved to Arkansas City, Kan. Didot left Arkansas City on Sept. 19, 1892, when the run was made into the Cherokee strip, and settled on a piece of land near Perry.

During a bold hold-up on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad, near Red Rock, one of the train robbers took this pistol from Didot, Bill Dalton afterward got the pistol and used it in all of his robberies. When he was killed a deputy marshal took the weapon. This deputy was afterward killed in an encounter with Dynamite Dick, who appropriated the pistol, and when he was killed a short time ago it came into the possession of a man in this city. The latter sold it last week to a man living in Fort Smith, who forwarded the pistol and cartridge belt to his sister in St. Louis as a Christmas gift.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for coughs, colds and consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at C. E. Holton's drug store.

CENTENARIAN LEAD THE DANCE.

McQuillan's Birthday Party—His Partner is 91 Years Old.

Southold, L. I., Dec. 29.—Nicholas McQuillan will be 100 years old on Jan. 1, and in honor of the event residents of this and neighboring villages will gather at the residence of Joseph Thompson, his nephew, to do honor to the occasion. Mr. McQuillan will dance a reel with his sister, who is 91 years old.

Mr. McQuillan is a native of Ireland, but came to this country in early life, and has resided hereabouts for half a century or more. He is a weaver, and being hale and hearty and in full possession of his faculties he still spends a good deal of time at the loom in the basement of Mr. Thompson's house. He has woven many thousand yards of rag carpet. His eyesight is yet so good that he can see to read without glasses.

Mrs. Ann Thompson, who is to be the centenarian's partner in the reel, is as spry as a woman of 50 years. Her face is unwrinkled.

One-Cent-a-Word

[Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent per word for each insertion.]

ONLY ten left of the twenty long cloaks formerly sold at ten and twelve dollars and advertised at two dollars each last Monday. Come at once if you want one.

THACKER & BROCKMANN.

NOTHING for a New Years gift for a gentleman more appropriate than a nice pair of embroidered slippers. We are selling them at 75 cents, 1.00 and 1.25 to close out what we have left.

THACKER & BROCKMANN.

WE have a few good second hand sewing machines to be sold at low prices before the holidays. Wingate Bros.

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BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK.—Go to Mrs. Cator & Co. for cheap Sailors, Walking Hats, Tam O'Shanter and Ribbon Remnants.

TWO FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF Greensboro were bruised up considerably and used Goose Grease Liniment with splendid results. n-23.

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BUY THE STANDARD ROTARY, the rapid, silent sewing machine. WINGATE BROS.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Greensboro National Bank will be held at their banking house Wednesday, January 12th, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m. A. H. ALDERMAN, Cashier.

A LARGE STOCK OF CHINAWARE Glassware, Fine Lamps at E. M. Caldwell & Bro. o-23-tf.

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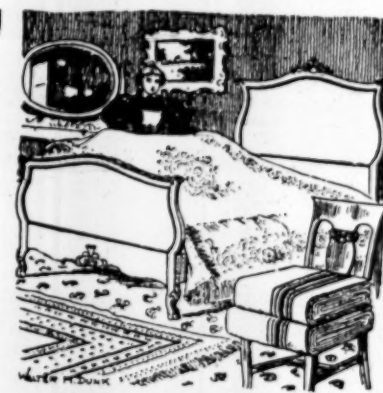
The Sputtering Yule Log



is all well enough to add to your Christmas decorations as a reminder of "ye olden time," when your house is heated by a good furnace. But for solid comfort, or a good, steady fire to roast your Christmas turkey and make the feast a culinary triumph, you want our high-grade, well-screened coal. Order now and it will insure you having a good dinner.

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A GOOD COMFORTABLE BED is not only a luxury but a necessity, where a person spends a third of their natural life. The only difficulty with our beds and bedding is that you want to stay there all the time. Our handsome chamber suites, chiffoniers, dressing tables, wardrobes, brass beds, etc., we are selling at such prices that no one need be without them.

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GREENSBORO, N. C.

Shoe News.

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LADIES RUBBERS 20c Pair.

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When you want Shoes don't forget we are selling all our shoes cheaper than any one else.

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First-Class Barber

I run three chairs and guarantee satisfaction. Give me a call.

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JOHN GILL, Receiver

Schedule in Effect Nov. 28th, 1907.

NORTHBOUND	No. 2 Daily
Leave Wilmington	9:00 a.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	12:10 p.m.
Leave Fayetteville	12:27 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	1:48 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	2:17 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	4:30 p.m.
Leave Fayetteville	5:17 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	5:47 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	6:15 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	7:45 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND	No. 1 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	8:40 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	10:04 a.m.
Leave Greensboro	10:33 a.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	11:06 a.m.
Leave Fayetteville	12:15 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	12:43 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	1:36 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	3:55 p.m.
Leave Fayetteville	4:00 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	5:17 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	5:47 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	7:20 p.m.

NORTHBOUND	No. 4 Daily
Leave Fayetteville	8:00 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	9:02 a.m.
Leave Greensboro	9:07 a.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	9:35 a.m.
Leave Fayetteville	10:30 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	10:40 a.m.

SOUTHBOUND	No. 3 Daily
Leave Greensboro	4:50 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	5:07 p.m.
Leave Fayetteville	5:43 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	6:11 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	6:15 p.m.
Arrive Fayetteville	7:15 p.m.

NORTHBOUND	No. 16 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Ramseur	6:40 a.m.
Leave Greensboro	8:35 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	9:35 a.m.
Leave Greensboro	9:35 a.m.
Arrive Greensboro	11:07 a.m.
Arrive Ramseur	11:55 a.m.

SOUTHBOUND	No. 15 Mixed Daily ex Sunday
Leave Ramseur	12:35 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	2:35 p.m.
Arrive Greensboro	3:35 p.m.
Leave Greensboro	4:25 p.m.
Arrive Ramseur	6:10 p.m.

CONNECTIONS

At Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, at Greensboro with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowline Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

W. E. KYLE, Gen. Manager.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE AND NORTH CAROLINA DIVISIONS

In Effect July 1st, 1907.

This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public.

TRAINS LEAVE GREENSBORO.

7:37 p.m.—No. 35 daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman drawing-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, Birmingham and Savannah.

7:06 a.m.—No. 37 daily for Washington and Southern Railway, limited, for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis, dining car, vestibule coach between Washington and Atlanta; Pullman tourist car for San Francisco Sundays.

8:50 a.m.—No. 8 daily for Richmond and Norfolk, connecting at Danville for Washington and points North.

7:02 a.m.—No. 11 daily for Atlanta and all points South. Pullman drawing-room buffet, sleeper Jacksonville to New York, Birmingham to New York; Pullman tourist car from San Francisco Thursdays.

12:41 p.m.—No. 38 daily for Washington and Southern Railway, limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car, Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York; Tampa to New York; also carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

8:52 p.m.—No. 12 daily for Richmond and all points North; carries Pullman sleeping car from Hot Springs to Danville; connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

From Raleigh—No. 15 passenger arrives 6:30 p.m.; No. 35 passenger arrives 11:55 a.m.; No. 11 passenger arrives 6:55 a.m.; No. 12 passenger leaves 1:30 a.m.

W. N. C. Division—No. 107 passenger leaves Greensboro 12:30 p.m.; arrives at Winston-Salem 1:30 p.m. daily except Sunday. No. 106 leaves Greensboro 8:50 a.m. daily, arrives at Winston-Salem 9:50 a.m., arriving at Wilkesboro 1:10 p.m.; train No. 7 runs daily except Sunday. No. 106 leaves Greensboro 7:50 p.m., arriving at Winston-Salem 8:50 p.m.; No. 110 leaves Winston-Salem daily except Sunday at 2:05 p.m., arriving at Winston-Salem 5:15 p.m., arriving at Greensboro 6:20 p.m.; No. 108 leaves Winston-Salem 6:20 a.m., arriving at Greensboro 7:20 a.m.

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BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

Dr. Tomlinson, of Archdale, was in the city today.

Dr. S. J. Montague, of Winston, was at the Benbow last night.

Miss Madeline Douglas left today for a visit to friends in Norfolk.

S. N. Thompson went to Winston on the noon train. He will return tomorrow.

Prof. W. A. Blair and wife, of Winston, were in the city this morning.

Evangelist Weston R. Gales, passed through today going to Roxboro to conduct a meeting.

Chic Darlington, manager of L. Banks Holt's poultry farm, was in the city today.

Mrs. J. R. Hardin returned today from Trinity, where she spent the holidays with her mother.

A number of prominent colored people from different parts of the State came in on the noon trains to attend the fair here.

The Proximity Manufacturing Company and Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud have our thanks for handsome and artistic 1898 calendars.

J. H. Neese went to Carthage today to place in position the monument recently sold to Mr. Daniel Fry to be erected at his wife's grave.

There will be a holiday entertainment tonight for the children of the Baptist Sunday School at the McAdoo building on East Market street at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Bessie Lee went up to Salem today to enter the Female Academy there. She was accompanied by her father, Evangelist Lee, and her sister, Miss Lula.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Messick, of Winston, were in the city today, returning from Charlotte. Mr. Messick is one of the Twin City's most successful and hustling merchants.

The Telegram presents, on the first page, a very suggestive picture of the going down of the old year and the new year just starting out. You can see the boat of 1897 sinking as the sun rises on Father Time who is sculling the craft of 1898.

The Cape Fear Lumber Co. shut down this morning in order to take stock, and make some changes or slight repairs to machinery. In other words, they will let the machinery rest for a few days, for it has been at work almost incessantly for twelve months.

Rev. Dr. T. N. Ivey returned last night from Washington, N. C., where he delivered an address on Tuesday, the occasion being the laying of the corner stone of a new Methodist church there. There was also a Masonic celebration and barbecue, with representatives present from seventeen different lodges.

Depot Will be Closed.

The Southern freight depot will be closed tomorrow, New Year's day, except for delivery of perishable freights in the morning. Yours truly, W. E. Coffin.

A New Firm.

The Benbow cigar and news stand passes into new hands tomorrow. It will henceforth be conducted by the firm of King & Hammer. They received today a consignment of Key West goods with which they will open up business tomorrow.

Connections for Davidson College.

It will interest Davidson students in and around Greensboro to know that the passenger train, leaving Charlotte for Davidson on Monday morning, will be held to make connection with the Vestibule leaving Greensboro at 7:05 a. m. This will place students leaving here at 7:05 in Davidson at 10:10.

Crocoll Club German.

The new year's german, to be given tonight at Bogart's Hall by the Crocoll Club, under the management of R. H. DeButts, J. S. Schenck, Everett King, Howell Fry, and Will McAdoo, promises to be one of the most successful events of the holidays. The dance will begin at 9 o'clock. Music by the Greensboro Orchestra.

M. & M. A. Club Reception.

Those who wish to see the old year out and the new year in will have the opportunity of doing so with many pleasant accessories at the rooms of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association tonight. A reception will be given from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. There will be progressive euchre for those who wish it, music by the Greensboro Orchestra and light refreshments. Most of the dancing young people will go to the reception first and to the dance afterward.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Judge Bynum Out Again.

Judge Bynum's many friends were glad of the opportunity to shake his hand again. He was out today for the first time after a severe illness of three weeks' duration.

NOTORIOUS BILL BECKHAM.

He Shows the Officers Something New in a Still Worm.

Yesterday Capt. T. H. Vanderford, C. Mebane and J. S. Smith, of the revenue force, went up to Kernersville, acting on information, and rode out several miles into the country after the sunshine and moonshine manufacturer of "Notorious Bill Beckham." They found Beckham at home in his hospitable establishment and without waiting to parley promptly covered the redoubtable hero with their guns and made themselves at home. Beckham made no resistance and the officers took possession "in the name of civil service."

They punctured the still, poured out the dew and demolished things generally. They carried Beckham with them until they were out of the woods and then released him, as they had no process for him and had no deputy marshal with them.

Beckham is not only a moonshiner, but he is a maker of stills and everything pertaining thereto. He is a finished workman and displays a degree of skill that would have made his fortune in a legitimate industry. In a tobacco barn they captured his kit of tools, all complete. They brought away his still worm, the like of which the oldest member of the service had never seen before. Instead of curling around, cork-screw fashion, it zig-zagged like an old time rail fence. At the joints it was neatly soldered.

BECKHAM'S STILL WORM.

Some time ago Beckham got into a personal difficulty with Smith and was shot in the back of the neck, the ball coming out through his face. On another occasion he set his dogs on a party of officers who were making a raid.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

The following are the closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange: NEW YORK, Dec. 31, 1897.

American tobacco.....	88 1/2
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe.....	
B. and O.....	22 1/2
C. and O.....	99 1/2
Chic. Bur. and Quincy.....	96 1/2
Chic. Gas.....	
Del., Lack. and Western.....	111 1/2
Delaware and Hudson.....	
Am. spirits.....	
Dist'r and cattle feed.....	
Erie.....	33 1/2
General Electric.....	96
Louisville and Nashville.....	56 1/2
Lake Shore.....	
Manhattan Elevated.....	111 1/2
Missouri and Pacific.....	34
Northern Pacific Pr.....	121 1/2
National Lead.....	
New York Central.....	106 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	
Reading.....	22 1/2
Rock Island.....	89 1/2
Southern Railway.....	31 1/2
Southern Railway Pr.....	94 1/2
St. Paul.....	140 1/2
Sugar Trust.....	26
Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	
Texas Pacific.....	
U. S. Leather Preferred.....	91 1/2
Western Union Tel.....	17 1/2
Wabash Preferred.....	

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade: CHICAGO, Dec. 31, 1897.

Wheat, Dec.....	95
" May.....	92 1/2
" July.....	
Corn, Dec.....	26 1/2
" Sept.....	
" Oct.....	29 1/2
" May.....	
" July.....	
Oats, Sept.....	22 1/2
" Dec.....	23 1/2
" May.....	23 1/2
Pork, Dec.....	79 1/2
" Jan.....	
" May.....	92 1/2
Lard, Dec.....	46 1/2
" Jan.....	
" May.....	48 1/2
Ribs, Dec.....	45 1/2
" Jan.....	
" May.....	46 1/2
Cotton, Sept.....	60 1/2
" Oct.....	@
" Nov.....	@
" Dec.....	
" Jan.....	51 1/2
" Feb.....	58 1/2
" March.....	58 1/2
" April.....	
" May.....	59 1/2
" July.....	60 1/2
" August.....	60 1/2
Spot cotton.....	5 15-16

Two Notable Letters.

The January issue of the North Carolina Journal of Education will contain two hitherto unpublished letters of R. E. Lee. One of these is on the "Relation of the Public and Parents to Teachers," and one on "Discipline in the Home and the School." The number will also contain a suggestive program for the celebration of General Lee's birthday.

Christmas Tree Yesterday.

Communicated. It is doubtful if a Christmas tree ever gave more of profit, as well as of pleasure, than that of Saint Barnabas Church Sunday School yesterday afternoon to Rector teachers and scholars.

By four o'clock all had assembled in the body of the church, with friends and parents to witness, at least their joy. Just at the foot of the chancel steps stood a large pine tree laden with gifts for all ages, candies ornaments toys and many colored wax tapers.

Every one, young and old had something in the body of the church, with friends and parents to witness, at least their joy. Just at the foot of the chancel steps stood a large pine tree laden with gifts for all ages, candies ornaments toys and many colored wax tapers.

The sun was setting when another hymn being sung and benediction given, the last taper burned out, and good byes were exchanged with thanks for this and hopes of another just such season of good will and merriment in the year of our Lord 1898.

SHORT coats for ladies and misses, good ones in light and dark colors just half price to close them out at THACKER & BROCKMANN.

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for the large and liberal Christmas trade you have given me. I have emsaries with search warrants scouring the country and you give me the order and I will do the rest.

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Turkeys,
Geese,
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Baked Beans with Tomato sauce
Tomatoes,
Corn,
Peaches,
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Presented on the same scale of grandeur as at the Herald Square Theatre, in New York

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The eminent Southern character actor as Pudd'n head assisted by

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AND GREAT CAST.



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Fine Horse-shoeing

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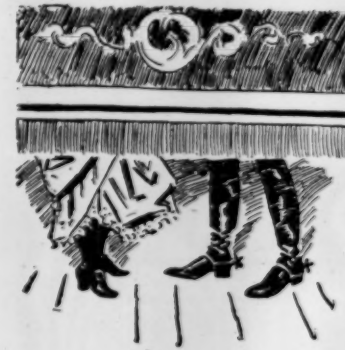
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Special Sale Wednesday, December 29th.

3 Ladies Jackets price \$15.00 at \$7.90.
2 Ladies Jackets price 12.50 at 6.50.
6 Ladies Jackets price 10.00 at 5.50.
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We sell a Ladies' Shoe at \$2.50 which is generally sold for \$3.00. Every pair is warranted to give satisfaction or you get another pair free of charge.

Shrier's Exclusive Shoe Store,

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SEE WHAT THE Guilford Department Store has to say to you about useful things for Christmas Gifts.

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